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**In the Specification:**

On page 1, please add the following section after the title.

**Related Application**

This application is a national phase application of PCT Application PCT/GB2004/000239, filed January 23, 2004, and published in English on August 5, 2004 as International Publication No. WO 2004/064850, which claims priority from British Application Nos. 0301560.9, filed January 23, 2003, and 0301669.8, filed January 24, 2003. These disclosures are hereby incorporated by reference herein in their entireties.

On page 1, line 5, please add the following text.

The terminology used in the description of the invention herein is for the purpose of describing particular embodiments only and is not intended to be limiting of the invention. As used in the description of the invention and the appended claims, the singular forms “a,” “an” and “the” are intended to include the plural forms as well, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

Unless otherwise defined, all technical and scientific terms used herein have the same meaning as commonly understood by one of ordinary skill in the art to which this invention belongs.

All publications, U.S. patent applications, U.S. patents and other references cited herein are incorporated by reference in their entireties with respect to the text referenced by the citation.

On page 1, line 6, please amend the following paragraph.

In particular, the invention relates to novel formulations of polyglucoses, such as dextrin sulphates, and to the use of such materials and compositions as agents in the topical treatment against human immunodeficiency virus type 1 (HIV-1) and related viruses and other sexually transmitted diseases (STDs).